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AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as indicated hereafter (where underlining "_" denotes additions and strikethrough "-" denotes deletions).

Claims:

1. (Currently Amended) A method of manipulating email messages with an email network appliance comprising:

receiving an email message, the email message having had all attachments automatically <u>unconditionally</u> deleted such that the email message is text only;

classifying the text only email message; inserting the text only email message into a classification container; and presenting the classification container in a classification display section.

- 2. (Original) The method of claim 1, further comprising prompting a user to save a scnt email message.
- 3. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the email network appliance comprises an apparatus comprising a scrollable line display capable of presenting at least six lines but no more than fifteen lines.
- 4. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the email network appliance comprises an apparatus connected to a public switched network via an RJ-11 interface.
- 5. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the email network appliance comprises an apparatus comprising a keyboard.
- 6. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the email network appliance comprises an email Internet appliance.

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- (Original) The method of claim 3, further comprising prompting a user to save a sent email message.
- 8. (Original) The method of claim 6, further comprising prompting a user to save a sent email message.
- 9. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the display classification section comprises at least two sections, each section containing one classification container.

10-15. (Cancelled)

16. (Original) The method of claim 8, wherein the email network appliance comprises an email Internet appliance.

17-19. (Cancelled)

- 20. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1, further comprising reading a text only email message in a classification container, wherein all reading is performed off-line.
- 21. (New) A system of manipulating email messages:
 a server configured for receiving a plurality of email messages for a user,
 and for deleting all attachments for all email messages received for a user;
 and
 a transmitter for transmitting the emails to a user.
- 22. (New) The system of claim 21, further comprising:

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a client configured for receiving email messages from a server, for classifying each of the plurality of email messages, for inserting the email message into a classification container; and for presenting the classification container in a classification display section.

- 23. (New) The system of claim 22, wherein the client is housed in an email network appliance.
- 24. (New) The system of claim 23, wherein the email network appliance comprises an apparatus connected to a public switched network via an RJ-11 interface.
- 25. (New) The system of claim 23, wherein the email network appliance comprises an apparatus comprising a keyboard.
- 26. (New) The system of claim 23, wherein the email network appliance comprises an email Internet appliance.
- 27. (New) The system of claim 22, wherein the client is further configured for prompting a user to save a sent email message.
- 28. (New) The system of claim 22, wherein the display classification section comprises at least two sections, each section containing one classification container.
- 29. (New) The system of claim 22, wherein the client is further configured for presenting an email message in a classification container, wherein all presentation is performed off-line.